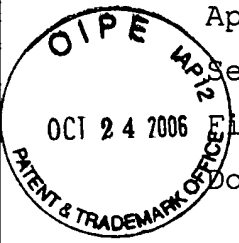


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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE AND REQUEST

FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION

Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed on July 24, 2006. This response is being filed concurrently with a request for continued examination. Please consider the remarks herein and amend the above-identified application as follows:

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS are reflected in A Listing of the Claims shown beginning on page 2 of this paper.

REMARKS AND ARGUMENTS begin on page 13 of this paper.